

PICKENS DISTRICT
IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Nancy Ferguson, of the State and District aforesaid being in a low state of health but yet of a sound & disposing mind & knowing the uncertainty of life & the certainty of death Also having a mind to dispose of what it has pleased the all wise to give to me do make & ordain this my last will & testament first I will & bequeath to my oldest daughter Mary Stephens one hundred dollars. To my 2nd daughter Jane Freeman one hundred dollars - to my 3rd daughter Nancy Barrett I will & bequeath one hundred dollars - to my oldest son John Ferguson I will & bequeath one hundred dollars - to my next son James L. Ferguson I will & bequeath one hundred dollars to my grand daughter the representative of my youngest daughter Elizabeth Alexander, dec'd, I will & bequeath Five dollars the remainder of all my property or money as it is all money or nearly so I will and bequeath to my youngest son J. C. Ferguson and all due me or that in any way pertaining to me to him the youngest J. C. Ferguson. I also authorize and appoint him J. C. Ferguson my youngest son my lawful Executor to this my last will & testament whereof I set my hand and seal this 4th of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

Test,

REESE BOWEN.
MARTIN BARRETT.
JAMES MAJOR.

her
NANCY x FERGUSON. (SEAL)
mark

SOUTH CAROLINA.)
PICKENS DISTRICT.)

PERSONALLY appeared before me W. D. Steele, Ordinary Pickens District, Reese Bowen and made oath that he was present & did see Nancy Ferguson sign the within (by making her mark) as her last will and testament and that Martin Barrett and James Major were with himself subscribing witnesses to the same.

SWORN to before me this 20 May 1850.
W. D. STEELE, O.P.D.

REESE BOWEN.

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 20th day of May 1850 the last will & testament of Nancy Ferguson late of Pickens District deceased was proven in common form by the oath of Reese Bowen one of the subscribing witnesses.

W. D. STEELE, O.P.D.

RECORDED in Will Book No. 1, page 138-139.